

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief

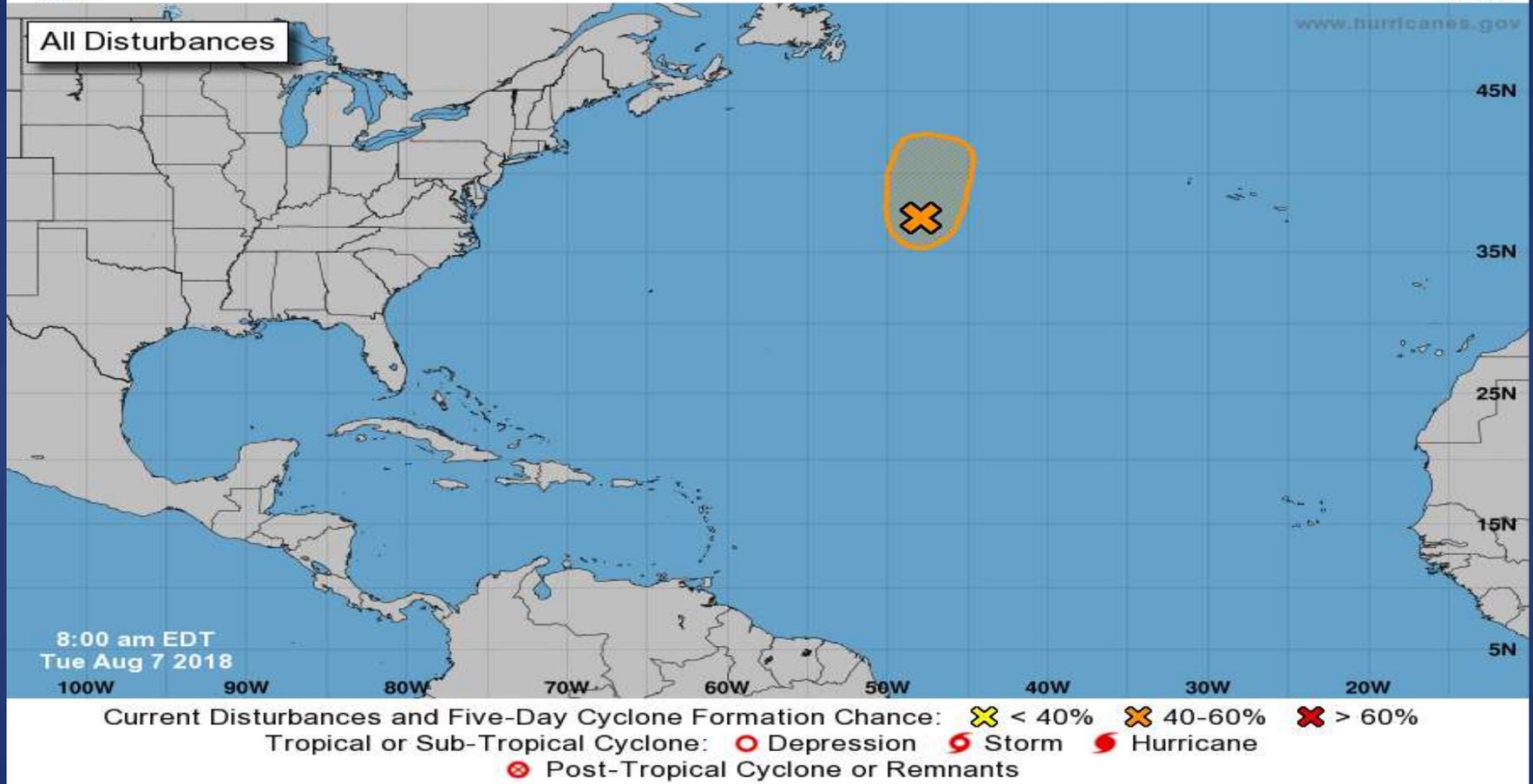


Tuesday, August 7th 2018
As of 0900 CST

Tropical Weather Awareness



Five-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



Early visible satellite images indicate that the shower activity associated with a non-tropical low pressure system located a little more than 900 miles west-southwest of the Azores continues to show some signs of organization. Although the shower activity has decreased somewhat during the past few hours, this system could still acquire subtropical or tropical characteristics later today. By Wednesday, however, the low will encounter increasingly cooler waters, which will hinder development while the system moves toward the north-northeast over the open North Atlantic. Additional information on this system can be found in High Seas Forecasts issued by the National Weather Service

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
08/06/18	Silver Alert Continuation	Dallas / Dallas County	N
08/06/18	Final Report of a Water System Outage	Horseshoe Bend / Parker County	Y
08/06/18	Initial Report of the Cherokee 13:47 Fire	Cherokee County	N
08/06/18	Initial and Final Report of a Grass Fire (Harrison 13:44)	Harrison County	Y
08/06/18	Initial Report of a Road Closure (IH-20) with Hazmat Spill	Smith County	N
08/06/18	Initial Report of a Diesel Fuel Spill	Smith County	N
08/06/18	Final Report of the Thomas Fire	Jack County	Y
08/06/18	Final Report of the Cherokee 13:47 Fire	Cherokee County	Y
08/06/18	Active Silver Alert for Vo Le	Louisiana State Police	N
08/06/18	Final Report of a Road Closure (IH-20) with Hazmat Spill	Smith County	Y

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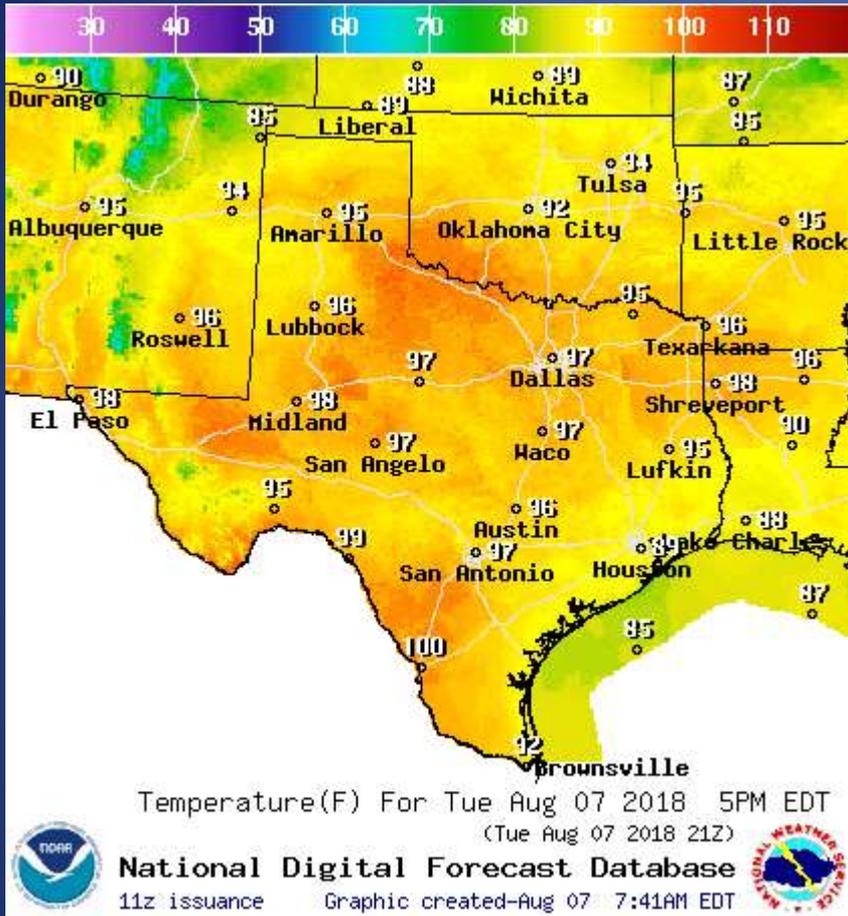
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08/06/18	Final Report of a Diesel Fuel Spill	Smith County	Y
08/07/18	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M2.6) in Western Texas	Scurry County	Y
08/07/18	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M2.5) in Western Texas	Scurry County	Y

Informational Products

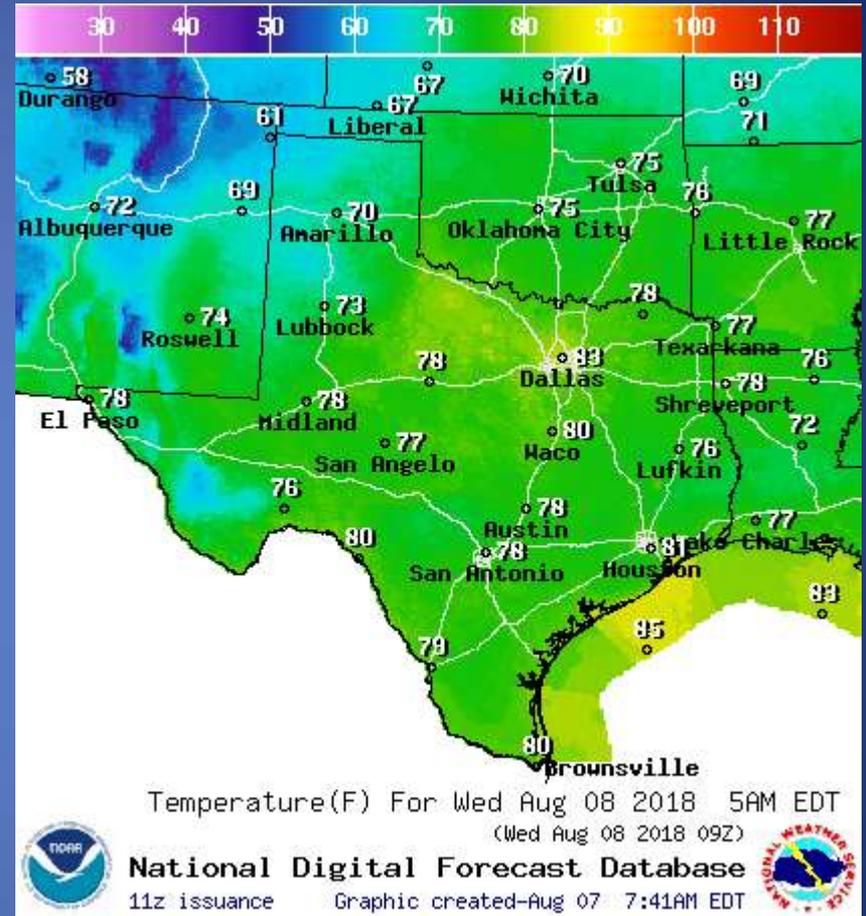
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DATE	SUBJECT
08/06/18	NWS Norman Monday 10 AM Weekly Weather Briefing August 6, 2018
08/06/18	FEMA Region 6 RRCC Daily Situational Awareness Report
08/06/18	NWS El Paso - Weather Hazards for Monday Aug 6
08/06/18	Southern Region ROC Daily Situation Report-Monday, August 6, 2018
08/06/18	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M2.3) for Northern Texas
08/07/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Tuesday, August 7, 2018 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

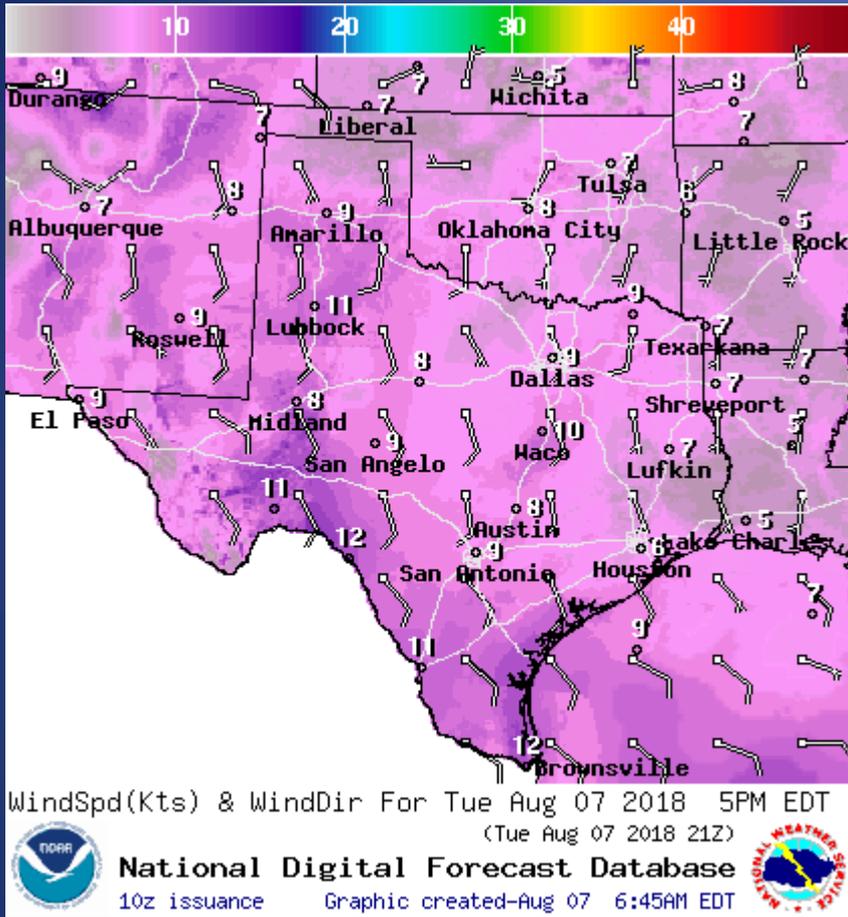


Highs

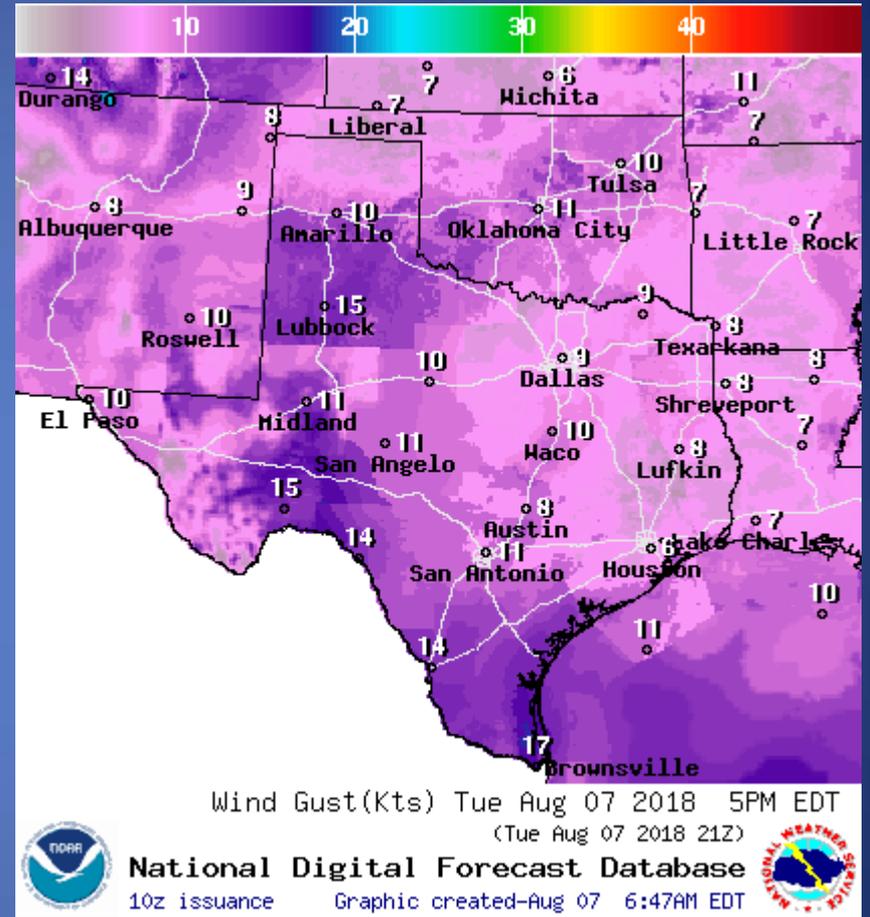


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather



Persistent upper level low over the Arklatex will keep instability and deep moisture across the area. This combined with afternoon heat and sea breeze will help to develop scattered showers and thunderstorms area-wide. Highs will be in the upper 80s to lower 90s with Southeast to South winds at 5 mph



Widely scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms are expected today, mainly this morning. Temperatures will once again top off near to slightly below normal. Mariners will find a light chop building to a moderate chop on the bay with Gulf seas of 2-4 feet.

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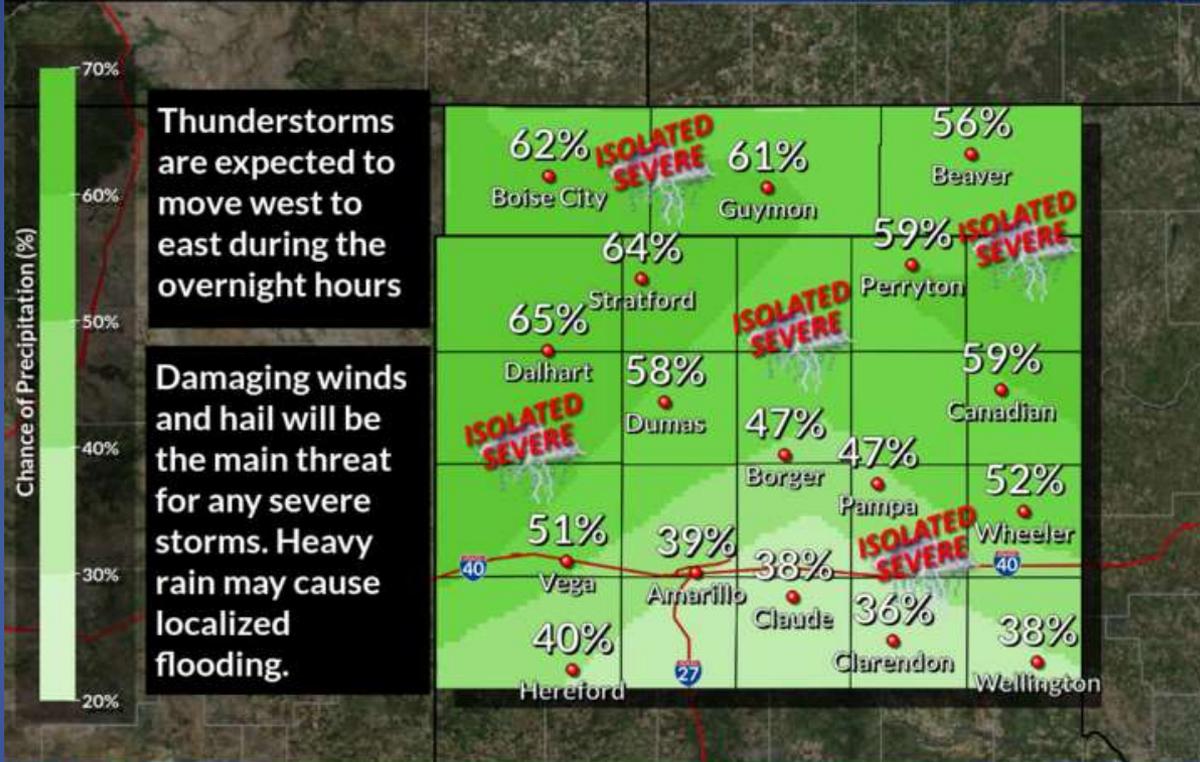
Thunderstorm Potential Tonight

Weather Forecast Office
Amarillo, TX



A chance of isolated severe storms

Issued Aug 07, 2018 7:16 AM CDT



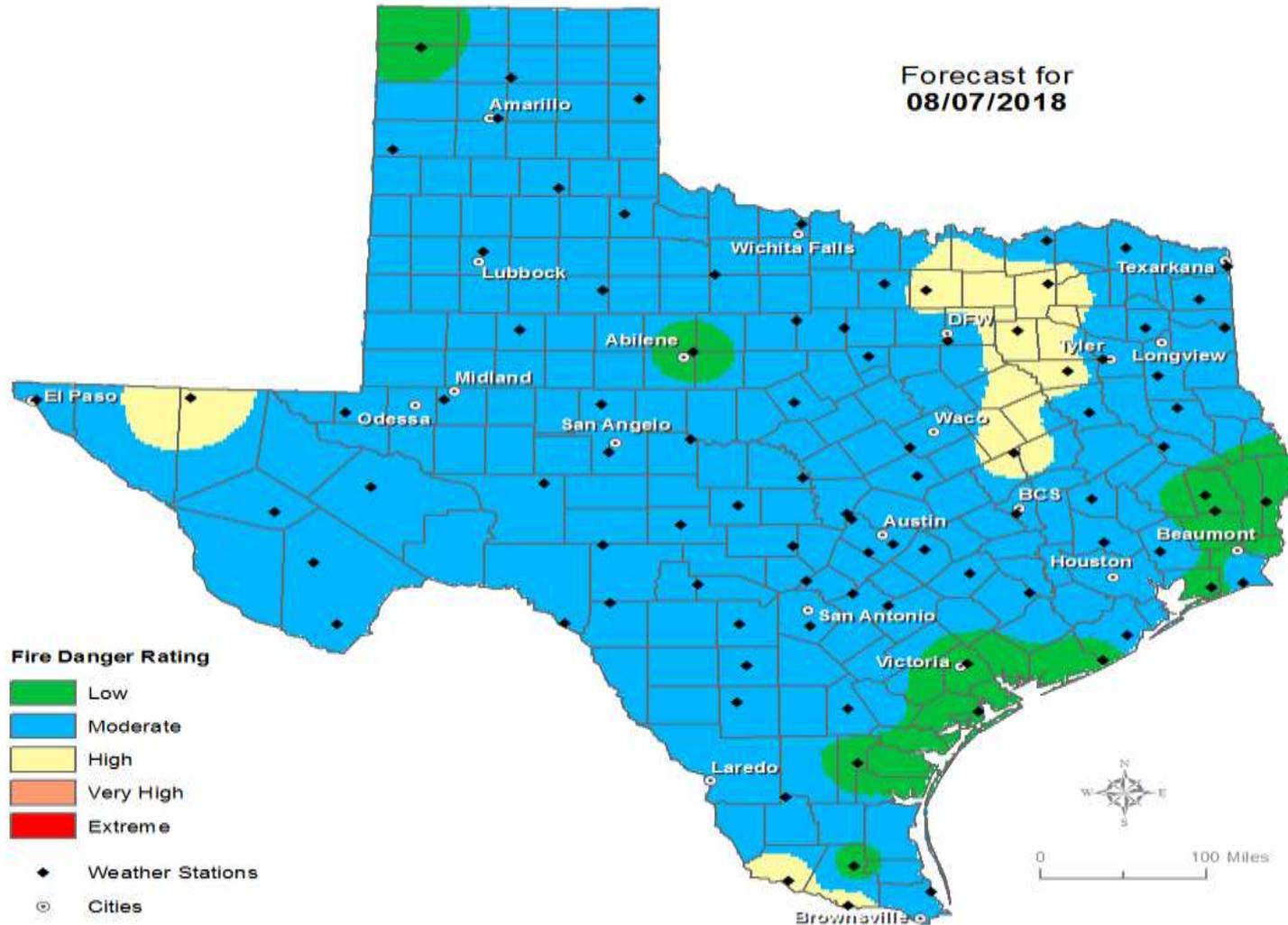
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weather.gov/ama

Thunderstorms are expected tonight across the Panhandles. Main threats include damaging winds and hail for any severe storms. Heavy rain may cause localized flooding.

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

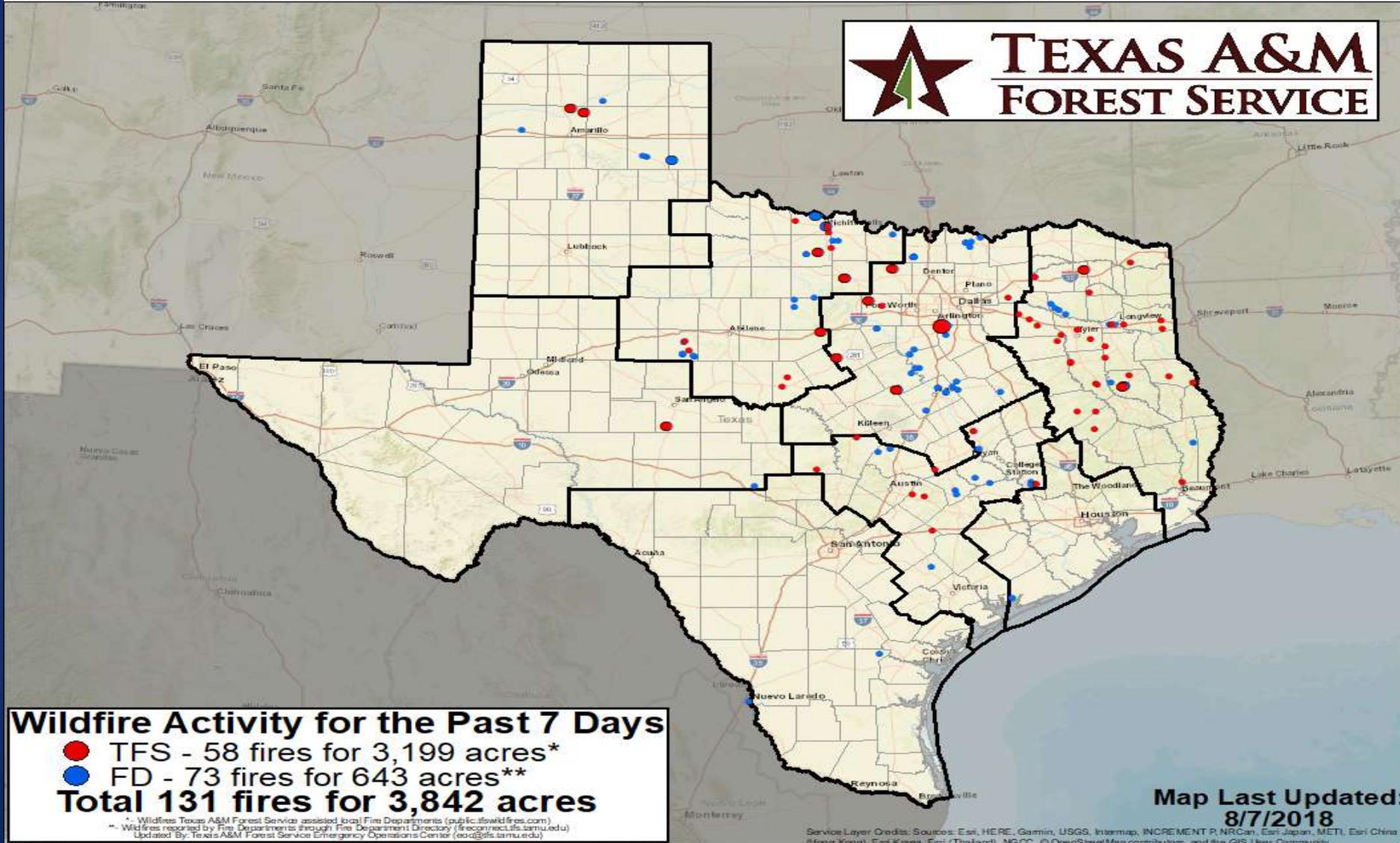


Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
08/07/18	Grass Fire Danger Statement	West of Fort Worth

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 798 (no change) fires and 222,693 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 170 (+2) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 240 (-1) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
07/26/18	09/13/18	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Euless
07/31/18	08/23/18	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Fort Worth
08/04/18	08/18/18	Curso de Equipo Comunitario de Respuesta a Emergencias (CERT)	G-317 (Spanish)	Laredo
08/06/18	08/07/18	Medical Preparedness and Response to Bombing Incidents	MGT-348	Belton
08/06/18	08/08/18	Law Enforcement Active Shooter Emergency Response (LASER)	PER-275	Texarkana
08/06/18	08/08/18	Medical Management of Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and Explosive (CBRNE) Events	PER-211	College Station
08/06/18	08/08/18	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Houston
08/06/18	08/09/18	Debris Management	G-202	Weatherford
08/06/18	08/10/18	HazMat Emergency Response Technician	H-301	Laredo
08/07/18	08/07/18	Tactical Emergency Casualty Care (TECC) for Fire/EMS	PER-358	Pharr
08/07/18	08/08/18	Disaster Management for Electric Power Systems	MGT-345	Wichita Falls

Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
08/07/18	08/09/18	Instructional Presentation and Evaluation Skills	G-141	El Paso

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
08/07/18	08/07/18	FEMA Emergency Management Institute/Virtual	Virtual Table Top: Cyber Coordination
08/08/18	08/08/18	City of Cleburne	Drill: CFD Hazmat / MCI
08/08/18	08/08/18	FEMA Emergency Management Institute/Virtual	Virtual Table Top: Cyber Coordination
08/08/18	08/08/18	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers/Belton	Drill: Capital / Belton Exercise
08/08/18	08/08/18	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers/Stillhouse	Table Top: Capital / Stillhouse Exercise
08/08/18	08/08/18	Gainesville Emergency Management/Gainesville	Workshop: Gainesville ISD Active Shooter

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
06/01/18	08/18/18	Canyon	Texas Outdoor Musical
08/02/18	08/08/18	Arlington	Texas Rangers Home Baseball Game